

To the Instructed Authorities, and
the People of Kentucky, your at-
tention to the following Statement
of Facts, will gratify an injured
and insulted Citizen.

ON the 10th July, 1804, Capt. Jno. Turnum, S. Minor, & myself, see Geo. Pipes in company with James his brother, take salt out of a trough, at S. Taylor's salt-works in Washington, under circumstan- cies which then induced us to think felonious. On collecting himself with the salt, one of us hailed him, his language was such as to induce us at length to suppose he had leave of the owner to take it; who had left his works the preceding Sunday, for his harvest, 22 miles from the furnace; who returned 22d July, and milled both salt and brine which he had left, found old S. Pipes with his sons, Geo. & Jas. working the furnace, of whom he made no enquiry about said salt; but waited in silence, expecting information from them concerning the same. After the first week, the old man quit, and Taylor put his man Abram in with Geo. & Jas. by which he was intituled to one third more than half made the 2d week, on the last day of which Taylor divided with them accordingly, all which was ready, and went to see his family; asked me to divide with them the balance, which would be ready the next Monday, I did so; but took none for Abram's labour. Taylor came, asked me how much, I told him 84lb in all, he immediately sent to Chs. Boyle's 25lb, and weighed the rest which proved to be 17 only, then told me he lacked 14lb for Abram's part; I informed him we had divided equally. Sometime after T. asked Geo. in my presence if he did not owe him 14lb of salt, who said no; he consented to my statement of the case; but said he weighed, and put 1-3 of his half to Taylor's pile after I had left him, T. said he had never got it, and immediately enquired of Abram who appeared to be entirely absent of mind upon the subject. The next morning Abram refused the subject to his master of his own accord, saying he now remembered every thing about it, and cogently repeated the several circumstances: Taylor a few hours afterwards see Geo. and Jas. told them he wished to see them; A. & myself together once more on the subject, adding that if they were certain that they had put said salt to his pile, that A. had made way with it, and must have weighed it, and I never knew he could weigh with steelyards, because he has taken neither more or less, the countenance of Geo. immediately changed, who threatened to fight me for being the cause of the enquiry, but never would face the Negro and myself after on the subject; though the path from his house to the cornfield he had rented of T. came between the shop and furnace, which I think is about 80 yards apart, in consequence of which T. told Mr. D. Bernet that Geo. Pipes, should never eat another mouthful of salt made at his furnace unless he stole it, or gave cash for it. Taylor had not yet heard who had robbed his trough; but Jas. as I expect being a little uneasy under the present complexion of things now enquires of me what Taylor said about the salt, that was taken from the brine when he was absent at harvest, no sooner had he asked the question, than those first impressions which George's superlative impudence had removed, when we caughted him taking the salt, revived, and I immediately asked Taylor on sight, whether he had given them leave to take it, or not, "So far from it," said T. that I plainly told their father, to whom I rented the furnace, when I left it, that I expected no body would interrupt it, until I returned &c.; to which said T. the old man, reiterated his probation and assent; Taylor then suggested to me, that the brine with him was an object which he was obliged to leave, where he found it; there being much more than he expected, before he lifted the salt out of the trough, in consequence whereof, he had told his black boys, when taking out the salt, to halten' their busness, and not mind leaving some salt with the brine, as old mr. Pipes wold be there, who would not let any thing interrupt it. T. added that any one else, might have taken it with a much better grace than they, because others might have thought he had declined further pretensions to it; to the contrary of which they were plainly informed, when he left it. T. thought the brine and salt worth one bushel when he left it.

Mr. D. Bernet, John Brut, Capt. Turnum, and myself, all see it the day after, T. left it, and none of us thought there was less than half bushel of good salt, beside the brine, we noticed too, that the salt was piled in the trough; I had told one of the Pipes family, that day i. e. Monday 9th July; that I intended to my sister Turnum's that evening, and next morning to my mother's; but meeting my brother Spencer at Turnum's, who was on his way to my shop with work. It became necessary for me to return to my shop, which did in the morning early, of the 10th July, 1804, as aforesaid. No sooner had we began to blow up a fire, but we

discovered George Pipes and James, and dismissed him; but George was the former with a pail, the latter bound in a recognition to appear before a called court again, to be examined as the law requires in such cases, & the witnesses for the commonwealth, &c. Before Esquire Young, George's conduct was all proved up; there he was put in mind of every inch of ground he had taken before hand, but did not sustain any part of it. By no one could he prove that Taylor had given him leave to take salt when he pleased; by none could he prove of all his 12 witnesses that Taylor had given him the salt, nor could he prove by any that T. had retracted in any manner any thing he had ever laid on the subject. But he most impudently and foolishly did commit himself still further, by trying to take advantage of the forgetfulness of Mr. D. Potts, who had been at the furnace about 20th of June, 1804, when George and James was working the furnace, and then heard George tell Taylor that he had taken perhaps 16 pounds of salt, to which T. replied very well, but Mr. Potts could not recollect whether it was before or after harvest, this he said was the salt for which he was prosecuted. George had now forgot, that though steel-yards lay at hand, where he took the salt for which he was prosecuted, that he had not weighed it, and that it was unnecessary to render an account of salt in pounds, or any how else, which had been given to him, but Taylor remembered perfectly that the circumstance happened before harvest, & that the account then rendered by George was in pounds, and that he let them down according to his account of them, which was settled for between himself, George and James, who was then working the furnace. Potts remembered seeing James putting wood into the furnace at the same time!

Capt. Turnum voluntarily offered himself security for George, but whether he did it out of prejudice to Taylor, who sued him the day I commenced the prosecution, or out of prejudice against us both, between whom he has evidenced a disposition to create a difference, or out of good will to George, who I believe thinks guilty of felonious taking the salt, I know not; but so it was that from the time he found Taylor was determined to sue him, he obviously lent as much in favor of George, as he possibly could, not to cross the line of truth.

The prisoner, myself, and the witnesses for the commonwealth, all appeared before the called court: the prisoner plead not guilty: the witnesses for the commonwealth only were sworn; no counsel for the commonwealth appeared; the commonwealth's witnesses gave in their testimony, but whether the court heard them, I cannot say; I wish to respect the constituted authorities of my country; but I wish nothing in nature more than for them to deserve it. I do boldly say that those witnesses proved the taking and carrying away of the salt, charged, and by Spencer Minor, that his conduct when he took the salt, looked very much like stealing; but in justice to the court, I must here observe that his manner might be indicative to the court of an unbecoming degree of inveteracy, as his feelings had been worked up by a half brother of the prisoner's, a little before, on the same day, who had talked of fighting, &c. no doubt was the very effect specially in view, which his conduct produced, by Capt. Turnum, who appeared to be in his manner, as much on the opposite extreme: that he thought his manner of taking said salt looked a little like stealing, but added he, "perhaps it was owing to my prejudices against the Pipes." By S. Taylor it was proved that he had left salt as above stated, &c. who concluded by saying that they had no more right to take it, than they had to take his salt out of his smoke-house if they had found it open, and that George nor any one of the family had ever named the subject to him, until he met them before Esquire Young, that he having heard that George abused him about it, had wrote to him, but got no answer; that at one time he had told Capt. Turnum that he could prove by 12 witnesses that he had give him the salt, and at another that he had retracted to his father, what he before had said, &c. but these things their worksheds thought irrelevant to the point in hand, or did not hear them!—for the next and last question put to Turnum, was by President Head, whether Taylor did not frequently trust old Mr. Pipes, to act for him in his absence?

Turnum answered in the affirmative; that the whole tick was in his possession, and that he had sent his sons to take all the (said) salt, and for which he ought now to be prosecuted; As he did not pretend to any special interest in the salt only that the whole salt works was in his possession, and this through standing under the shelter, he seemed to think, give him a right to embezzle its contents, without being guilty of felony.

But says the law, he who has merely the care of another's goods, hath not the possession of them, and therefore, by feloniously embezzling them, is guilty of larceny (review criminal code, page 220) again page 444 Whenever a man directs another trespass, who afterwards executes it in pursuance of such direction; he is necessarily, as guilty as if he had done it himself, and therefore being in judgment of law, a principal offender, he may be tried and found guilty before any trial of the actual perpetrator of the fact. Again page 285, in petit larceny, there are no accessories, before or after the fact; but all are principals. Was the old man now prosecuted, as he ought to be, and as he should have been, the moment he divulged the secret of his guilt, had I then known the law upon the case, would he dare to plead not guilty! and subject himself thereby to an attack for perjury?—It certainly is necessary for the well being of society, that all who are guilty of felonious practices, should be punished for the same, according to the laws of the land, however modestly they may conduct themselves, otherwise when detected, and if so, how much more necessary is it to chastise the infamous wretch, who after an act of felony shall attempt to silence complaint from the injured, by exciting terror? instances of this kind, is only to be found among the most high minded. Geo. appears to be of that description among the few in the world of such audacity there is one stated in the criminal code, as follows. page 281.

Harman picked Halipenny's pocket of his purse, which Halfpenny discovering, demanded: "Villain" answered Harman "if thou speakest of thy purse, I will pluck thine houle over thine ears, and drive thee out of the country, as I did John Summers," for which Harman was convicted of larceny, but for an offence as base in principle, which can at any time be proved by a chain of circumstances, together with positive proofs, Geo. Pipes is acquitted, and the prosecutor slandered by the court.

BARTLET MINOR.

THIRTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RUN off from the subscriber, living in Frederick county, Virginia, about eleven months ago, a Mulatto fellow named

B O B,

aged about forty-eight years, five feet, eight or nine inches high, a blacksmith by trade, has a scar on his head about the size of a dollar or rather larger, which is not covered with hair; he is extremely fond of liquor, and insolent when drunk; was purchased of Mr. James Ware, near Lexington, Kentucky, about twelve years ago, and taken to Virginia—He has no doubt obtained a pass from some worthless person, as he could not have got to Kentucky without one. Any person taking the said fellow and securing him in any jail, or delivering him to Mr. Wilson in Lexington, shall be entitled to the above reward, and all reasonable charges paid by

JAMES HEARD.

May 1st, 1805.

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LEXINGTON, JULY 2, 1805.

MARRIED.—On the 30th ultimo, by the Revd. Jas. Moore, Mr. Thomas Reddy, of Woodford county, to the agreeable Miss Elizabeth Bullock, of this neighbourhood.

INDEPENDENCE.

The Lexington Light Infantry Company are to dine at Mr. Maxwell's spring, on Thursday the 4th July; those disposed to celebrate the anniversary of our Independence, are invited to unite with them on that occasion.

Yesterday a dividend of four dollars, was made on each share in the Kentucky Insurance Company. During the last six months, the company have sustained considerable losses by insurane, which will account for the small sum divided at this time, when compared with former dividends.

On Thursday last arrived in this town, two Indians belonging to the Chickasaw nation, in search of their horses, which had been stolen from them by some white men, returning from Natchez to this state. Early the next morning, a horse, which they alledged to be theirs, passed through this place, having been purchased by the gentleman who had him in possession, on Barren river. The Indians claimed their property; but not being able to produce legal proof, were obliged to relinquish him to the possessor, who has taken him to the Eastward. It is much to be lamented, that the villains who stole the horses, could not be brought to justice; as a failure may produce serious consequences, by way of retaliation, on our citizens, who may have occasion to pass through the Chickasaw nation.

The citizens of Lexington made them a present of about 30 dollars in cloathing, with which they appeared well pleased; and it is hoped, other towns through which they may pass, will contribute something, as a remuneration for their lost property.

COMMUNICATION.

On Thursday and Friday last, the Young Ladies under the tuition of Mrs. Beck, were examined in the presence of a numerous and respectable assemblage of ladies and gentlemen. The evident progress the young ladies have made, in reading, writing, grammar, arithmetic, geography, and astronomy, reflects the highest honour on their preceptors, and credit to themselves; and afforded the greatest gratification to all present.

On the third day of May last, all foreign coins, excepting Spanish dollars, and parts of dollars, ceased to be legal tender for the payment of debts in the United States. As the act of congress making French, Spanish and Portuguese gold coins and French crowns a tender, expired on the said third day of May.

NORFOLK, June 8.
Capt. Cook who arrived in the Paragon, contradicts the various accounts lately published, of the ports in Jamaica being opened for American vessels.—He adds, that the Governor was authorized to open the ports to Americans whenever he tho't proper, but notwithstanding the many remonstrances from the inhabitants, he declined doing so, as he considered there was a sufficiency of provisions in the Island for 12 months. In consequence of his harsh conduct, there was a meeting of the different parishes, when it was resolved that the inhabitants should wear crape for one month, on account of his precluding American trade.

THE COMBINED FLEETS.

Various accounts from different West-India Islands concur in announcing the arrival at Martinique of the French and Spanish Fleets. They do not agree as to the precise number of the ships of the line, frigates, troops, &c.—By two arrivals at our Lazaretto, yesterday afternoon, from St. Bartholomew, we are informed that the conjunct fleets amounted to TWENTY-ONE SAIL OF THE LINE.—It was understood they put it there for the purpose of ascertaining the operations of the Rochefort squadron, and to water; after which some momentous enterprise was to be attempted.

In addition to the above, we are just favored with the following extract of a letter from a gentleman on board one of the ships at the Lazaretto, which is strongly corroborative of the numerous accounts which we have received.

"The account of the arrival of the French fleet at Martinique may be depended on: I had it from three different captains who arrived at Bartholomew, direct from there.—They amounted to 22 sail of the line, and 6 frigates, having on board 15,000 land forces."

A schr from St. Lucie reported two French frigates off that port.

According to authentic information, it was not certainly known at Paris on the 2d April last, when the bills in payment of claims covered by the Louisiana convention would be drawn, but the commencement of the draughts was expected to take place with very little delay. On this point therefore the intelligence brought by the Alligator, as published in the New York Gazette, is incorrect; and there is little room to doubt that it is so in some other points. *Nat'l. Intelligencer.*

NEW-YORK, JUNE 3.

A St. Vincents paper of the 1st of May, which we have received by the brig Enterprise contains the following interesting intelligence.

Barbadoes, May 4.

Toulon Fleet... Dispatches were yesterday received here by his majesty's ship Mercury, the hon. D. P. Bouverie, from vice admiral Sir John Orde, dated his majesty's ship Glory, sea, April 10, 1805, communicating the important intelligence, of the sudden appearance off Cadiz of the Toulon fleet, consisting of from 20 to 24 sail, 11 or 12 of them of the line, and the rest heavy frigates. This fleet, it appears, was, on the evening of the 9th, close off Cadiz harbour, where one French ship of the line, and six or seven Spanish, were then ready to join them, and three or four would be in about 24 hours. Whether any troops were on board these ships was not known, nor had the destination of this force, after its junction been ascertained; but it was judged to be to the westward, and it was reported that the Spanish ships were bound to the Havana.

The Mercury after delivering her dispatches, immediately proceeded to the westward.

By a neutral this morning, from St. Bartholomew, we learn, that accounts had been recently received there from St. Domingo, via Porto Rico, stating the Massiffs still remained there, and was then actually blockaded by rear admiral Cochrane.

Captain Brown, of the ship Julian, from Cadiz, has communicated to us the following intelligence for publication: At the time of my departure from Cadiz the Eagle, a French 74, two French corvettes, and two Spanish frigates, were ready for sea; and eight sail of the line were fitting out with all expedition. Troops were embarking daily, and a great quantity of ordnance, &c. had been taken on board of each ship. The general report was that they were destined for Spanish America, to garrison the line of demarcation between the territories of Spain and of the United States. This report was confirmed to me by one of the officers belonging to the fleet; who added; that the French and Spanish ships had made a considerable interchange of officers.

The uniform of the troops embarking is blue faced with red, a round hat turned up on one side, with a feather in it; the officers wear superfluity of gold lace.

General Moreau was at Cadiz. He waits the arrival of his son from Paris, and intended to have come to New-York in the Julian. It is said he has received orders to quit Spain immediately; and this sudden and unlooked for intelligence had a very favourable effect on the health of his lady, who was learning the Spanish language with an expectation of being permitted to remain there.

Gibraltar is tranquil, and has received a reinforcement of two thousand troops from England. The Spanish keep an army before it, but have attempted nothing.

The British fleet, consisting of five ships of the line, a frigate, a brig, and a cutter, were constantly cruising off the harbour, often close in with its mouth, and sometimes nearly within gun shot of the batteries.

NEW YORK, June 4.

FROM FRANCE.

By a passenger in the brig Alliance, from Nantz, the editors of the New-York Gazette have received the following interesting information:

"His Majesty the Emperor of France and King of Italy left Paris the 28th March for Milan, there to be crowned King: the 25th of May was appointed for the Coronation. Previous to his leaving Paris he was pleased to order the long pending American claims to be closed, reserving three millions of livres to be applied to any substantiated claims that remained behind—the American Minister had given notice to the several American claimants, that he was ready to draw on the American Government for the amount of their respective awards, such sums as they should chuse, and in francs.

"Mr. Livingston, our late Minister to the French Court, had returned to Paris from Italy, and with his family was expected at Nantz, in order to embark for New-York in the ship Mississippi, Capt. H. Skidmore, to sail the 10th or 16th of May.

The Pope left Paris the 3d of April.

LONDON, April 8.

It is reported by those who pretend to be in the confidence of Ministers, that the dispatches which were received from St. Peterburgh, last Monday, contain the most satisfactory assurances of the complete failure of the various artifices employed by the French Government to detach the Emperor Alexander from the interests of this country. The principal article of a treaty of alliance between his Majesty and that Sovereign are said to be already agreed upon; and on the same authority we are assured, that only a few points of detail remain to be adjusted previous to a formal communication being made, on this important subject, to both Houses of Parliament. After the repeated disappointments which have been experienced, relative to the co-operation of Russia, the public cannot

place much confidence in the promises made to them upon this occasion.

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"To soar aloft on Fancy's wing."

As the 4th of July is approaching we anticipate the wish of subscribers by giving a favorite song generally sung on the occasion.)

JEFFERSON AND LIBERTY.

For March 4, 1801.—To its own tune.

THE gloomy night before us flies,
The reign of terror now is o'er;
Its gags, inquisitors and spies,
Its hordes of harpies are no more!
Rejoice, Columbia's sons, rejoice!
To tyrants never bend the knee!
But join with heart and soul and voice
For JEFFERSON AND LIBERTY,

O'er vast Columbia's varied clime,
Her cities, forests, shores and dales,
In rising majesty sublime
Immortal Liberty prevails.
Rejoice, &c.

Hail! long expected glorious day!
Illustrious memorable morn!
That freedom's fabric from decay
Builds for ages yet unborn.
Rejoice, &c.

His country's glory, hope and stay,
In virtue and in talents tried,
Now rises to assume the sway,
O'er freedom's temple to preside.
Rejoice, &c.

Within its hallow'd walls immense,
No hireling hand shall e'er arise,
Array'd in tyranny's defence,
To crush an injur'd people's cries.
Rejoice, &c.

No lordling here with gorging jaws
Shall wring from industry the food,
Nor fiery vigor's holy laws
Lay waste our fields and streets with
(blood).
Rejoice, &c.

Here strangers from a thousand shores,
Compell'd by tyranny to roam,
Shall find, amidst abundant stores,
A nobler and a happier home.
Rejoice, &c.

Here Art shall lift her laurell'd head,
Wealth, Industry, and Peace divine,
And where dark pathless forests spread
Rich fields and lofty cities shine.
Rejoice, &c.

From Europe's wants and woes remote,
And dreary waste of waves between,
Here plenty cheers the humblest cot,
And smiles on every village-green.
Rejoice, &c.

Here free as air's expanded space,
To every foul and feet shall be,
That sacred privilege of our race,
The worship of the deity.
Rejoice, &c.

These gifts, great Liberty! are thine;
Ten thousand more we owe to thee;
Immortal may their mem'ries shine,
Who fought and died for Liberty.
Rejoice, &c.

What heart but hails a scene so bright,
What soul but inspiration draws,
Who would not guard so dear a right,
Or die in such a glorious cause?
Rejoice, &c.

Let foes to freedom dread the name,
But should they touch the sacred tree,
Twice fifty thousand swords shall flame
For Jefferson and Liberty.
Rejoice, &c.

From Georgia up to Lake Champlain,
From seas to Mississippi's shore,
Ye sons of freedom loud proclaim
The reign of terror is no more.
Rejoice, &c.

"Trifles light as Air."

BOYLE says, that a woman will inevitably divulge every secret with which she is entrusted, except one--and that is, her own age.

PROPHETIES.

To the Editor of the Mercantile Advertiser.

SIR,
According to the prediction of St. Cezaire, who in the year 1600 was bishop of Arles, in the province of Languedoc, great events were to take place between the years 1800 and 1809. Part of them have been already accomplished. He says, "There shall be war; a peace of short continuance; some partial events in both hemispheres; an almost general contention amongst the crowned heads; several scourges, as fire, shipwreck, earthquake, inundation, famine, plague, &c. God in his wrath, will punish mankind, but will preserve his chosen to repeople the world. A new order of things will then take place, and continue for a thousand years. Men will then relapse into a state of impiety, and become objects on whom the Divine Wrath will be poured out."

In the year 1796, a member of the Irish parliament predicted before the whole house many events which were to happen in Europe, spoke of the troubles, which afterwards broke out in

Ireland, and prophesied its preservation. Miss Labroule, who was born in the city of Libourne in France, foretold the Revolution, the re-establishment of religion, and the tranquility which took place at the beginning of the present century.

Nostradamus, a French astrologer, who wrote in the year 1500, predicted the destruction of the altar and the throne. He says in one of his prophecies, "Between the signs of the Virgin and the Balance shall come a chief to reign in France;" and we now witness its fulfillment. It is well known to every body that the constellation of the Virgin governs from 22d of August to the 22d of September on which day until the 22d of October it is succeeded by that of the Balance, and during this latter month Bonaparte (now Emperor) arrived in France from Egypt. It appears to me that he is designated in the Apocalypse and in the visions of Daniel by the name of the "great Beast with ten horns, which shall destroy many kingdoms, and shall subdue the leopard." It is evident to me that he has been placed on the throne of France to execute the decrees of Heaven.

FOUR DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED from the subscriber in Lexington, about the first of May, A BLACK COW,
Near the colting;—Also,
A SMALL WHITE COW,
Which gave milk—neither of which is marked—Also a small white two year old STEER, marked with a crop off the left ear, and a small nick in the under side of the same. Any person delivering said cattle to me in Lexington, or sending me word so that I get them, shall receive the above reward.

JOHN ELDER.
Lexington, June 18th, 1805.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
Mason Circuit Court, set.

May Term, 1805.

Thomas Bodley } Complainants,
and James Hughes } and

Against

John P. Duvall's } Defendants

IN CHANCEY.

THE defendants Lewis Duvall, Jesse Weatherington, and Betsey his wife, and John Brown and Nancy his wife, having failed to enter their appearance herein agreeably to law and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth. On the motion of the complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the third day of our next September term, and answer the complainants bill, or that the same shall be taken as confessed, and that a copy of this order be published in some authorized paper, for two months successively.

A Copy. Test
JOSEPH BRIGGS, D. Clerk.

15 MADNESS.

AN effectual remedy on the human body, for that dreadful malady—the bite of mad animals—it being the remedy that Dr. STOY of Lebanon, of Pennsylvania, has effected so many cures with—A number of persons have been cured by Dr. STOY and myself, that had violent symptoms of the hydrophobia, from one 'till two days raging. The cure can be effected as long as the constituent part of the blood is not separated; which will happen sooner or later, according to the state of body, or the effect of the bite. I would advise every person to make application as soon as the person has received the infection. No trust can be expected for the above.

Michael Schaefer.
Lexington, March 18th, 1805.

N. B. The various Printers in the Western States are requested to give the above a place a few times in their respective papers.

Dr. SCHAEFER wishes to instruct a pupil or two, to practice Medicine and Surgery.

All persons indebted to M. SCHAEFER for medical services, are requested to settle and discharge their respective balances, as no longer indulgence can be given. It is to be hoped that no compulsive measures will be necessary.

CHEAP GOODS.

MACCOON & TILFORD

HAVE just received from PHILADELPHIA, and are now opening at their Store,

London superfine cloths, Blue ground calicoes & chintzes,

Furniture dimities, Book & tambored muslins, Mulmull do.

Lady's extra silk gloves, Fashionable silk shawls, Constitution cords & velvets, Marfelle's waistcoating,

India nankeens, Irish linens,

Umbrellas & parasols, Kid, morocco & stuff shoes,

Coffee, tea, sugar, pepper, ginger, allspice, madder, alum, indigo, brimstone, copperas &c.

Port and sherry wines, Holland gin, Nails,

Bar iron, Window glafs,

Pennsylvania castings &c. &c.

Which they will sell at their usual low prices, for cash in hand.

Lexington, March 19th, 1805.

MASON COUNTY, set.

16th March, 1805.

TAKEN UP by David John-

son, mouth of Beaver, Harri-

son County, one BLACK HORSE,

about thirteen hands high, has a star

in her forehead, and a white spot on

her near fore foot, and bob-tail, ap-

praised to eighteen dollars.

A Copy. Test.

Marshall Key, D. C. M. C.

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MICHAEL ISGRIG.

29 FULLING MILL.

THE Subscriber takes this method of informing the public, that he has lately built a Fulling Mill on Stoner, between Hutchcraft's and Smith's mills, and is now ready to do any kind of fulling his customers may please to favour him with, in the cheapest and best manner, and upon very reasonable terms. He will dye any colors that are usually dyed in this country. To accommodate his customers, he will receive cloth at Mount Sterling at the house of Andrew Biggs, on the first Monday in every month, and at Paris on the third Monday in every month at the house of Wm. Scott merchant; and will return the cloth dressed at the following court.

John M. Miller.

Dec. 1, 1804. 12m

3 JAMES CONDON,
TAILOR,

REGS leave to inform the Gentlemen of this town, and its vicinity, that he has just commenced business in the house lately occupied

by Mr. Woodruff, at the corner of Cross and Water Streets; where he purposes working at the most reasonable terms. From the long experience he has had in business, he flatters himself that he shall be able to give general satisfaction to all who may think proper to favor him with their custom; and by a strict attention to his customers, gain their approbation.

Lexington, June 12th, 1805.

Mrs. CONDON

RESPECTFULLY informs the ladies of this town, that she is just from Baltimore, and furnished with the Newest Fashions, and will make all kinds of Ladies' Dresses, Gowns Merries, Paris Aprons, Riding Dresses, Spencers, Great Coats, and Cloaks, all in the most Fashionable Style. Those who may think proper to favor her with their custom, may depend on having their work done in the neatest manner.

TAKE NOTICE,

THAT on Monday the eighth day of July, 1805, in pursuance of an order for that purpose obtained at the last county court of Mason, the subscribers will attend at the house of John Curtis, in Mason county, and from thence proceed to the premises before mentioned, with the commissioners appointed by the said court, to take the depositions of sundry witnesses, for the purpose of saving the same perpetuated, agreeable to an act of assembly, entitled "an act to reduce into one, the several acts to ascertain the boundaries of, and for procuring land;" to establish the beginning and special calls of an entry of 400 acres, made in the name of George Clarke, on a certificate granted to William Crow, and which was by said Crow, assigned to the said Clarke, which entry is in the following words: "George Clarke, affinee of William Crow, enters 400 acres upon a certificate for settlement, lying on the waters of the north Fork of Licking, adjoining the middle fork of Laurence's creek, and adjoining George Dicken's pre-emption, including three cabins of Simon Butler." And also the beginning and special calls of the said Clarke's pre-emption entry, which is in the following words: "George Clarke, affinee of William Crow, enters a pre-emption warrant of 1000 acres, adjoining his settlement round." And then and there to do such other things, as are authorised by the before mentioned act, and which may be necessary for establishing the said claim. And if the commissioners are not able to finish the business on that day, they will adjourn from day to day, until the 13th of July, 1805, inclusive; at which time and place, all persons interested will please to attend.

John Curtis,
Abner Overfield.

ROBBERY.

A Reward of one Hundred Dollars

WILL be given for securing in any jail, either of the villains who robbed me on Thursday, the 13th inst. about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, within 50 yards of the forks of the roads, leading from Cynthiana, one to Lexington, the other to Georgetown. One of them was a tall rawboned man, of dark complexion, very large feet, and ankle bones, about 35 years of age; had on a pair of striped cotton overalls, and a country linen shirt, very dirty; he was armed with a pistol—the other was a man about 5 feet 6 inches high, pale face, well made—I could not see him very well, as he stood behind me—he had on a pair of overalls and shirt of country linen, also very dirty; appeared to be young; was armed with a stick and knife. They took from me 15 Gold Eagles, and 300 Dollars in Bank Notes, which are all endorsed, with my name on the back of each note. I remember only a part of the notes: there were 4 notes of 500 dollars each, of the Bank of Philadelphia, and one 50 Dollar note of the Branch Bank of Charleston, endorsed by Adam Gilchrist—the others were all 100 Dollar notes, on various banks. The reward as above will be paid by the subscriber, living in Augusta, Bracken county.

THOMAS NELSON.

June 14th, 1805.

N. B. I am very much indebted to squire McMillin, and the inhabitants of Harrison County in the neighborhood of the place, for their vigilance in striving to detect the villains—the last tracks which were discovered of them, were going towards Paris.

T. N.

March 29, 1805.

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MICHAEL ISGRIG.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

700 acres Military Land, lying on Brush creek, N. W. T. where the road crosses from Limestone to Chillicothe; this tract contains about three hundred acres of rich bottom, the remainder is well timbered; has on it a good mill seat, and is an excellent land for a public house.

500 acres ditto, lying on Clover Lick creek, a branch of the East fork of the Little Miami, N. W. T. in a good neighborhood, about three miles from Dunham's-Town, seven from Williamsburg, and eleven to twelve from the Ohio river.

1000 acres ditto, lying on Brush creek, a few miles from New Market, N. W. T.

5000 acres, lying on Bank Lick creek, Kentucky, part of two tracts, containing 6000 acres, surveyed and patented for William Jones.

4000 acres, Clarke county, Kentucky, part of a tract of eight thousand acres, surveyed and patented for Richard Chinnevert.

3332 2-3 acres, Mason county, Kentucky, part of 5000 acres, surveyed and patented for George Underwood.

1200 acres, Mason county, Kentucky, surveyed and patented for Moody and McMillin.

1000 acres Military land, on the waters of Russell's creek, Green river.

325 acres, Jefferson county, Kentucky, about four miles from Louisville, 40 acres of this tract is cleared.

116 1-2 acres, Franklin county, Kentucky, on the North fork of Elkhorn, about six miles from Frankfort; on that tract are considerable improvements.

A House and well improved Lot in the town of Paris, on Main street, and adjoining Mr. Hughes's tavern.

Also a House and well improved Lot in this place.

The above described property will be sold low for CASH, HEMP and TOBACCO, or on giving bond with good security, a considerable credit may be had. For further particulars enquire of Andrew F. Price, attorney in fact for (